

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 13 and 18 as shown below. The claims, as currently pending in the application, read as follows.

1. to 12. (Canceled)

13. (Currently Amended) An electronic device, comprising:

a detecting unit adapted to detect ~~that~~ whether a warning status has occurred;

a warning unit adapted to notify to a user that the warning status has occurred; and

a communication unit adapted to transmit warning information indicating that the warning status has occurred,

wherein, if the detected warning status is not released within a predetermined time, ~~said~~ the communication unit is adapted to transmit the warning information to a registered device that ~~is~~ has been registered by the user in the electronic device as a device that is to receive the warning information, and

wherein, if the detected warning status is not released in spite of transmitting the warning information to the registered device, the communication unit is adapted to transmit the warning information to an unregistered device that ~~is~~ has not been registered by the user in the electronic device as a device that is to receive the warning information.

14. (Previously Presented) The electronic device according to Claim 13, wherein the unregistered device is connected to a network including the registered device.

15. (Previously Presented) The electronic device according to Claim 13, wherein the warning information comprises at least one of image data, text data and audio data.

16. (Previously Presented) The electronic device according to Claim 13, wherein each of the electronic device, the registered device and the unregistered device is connected to a home network.

17. (Previously Presented) The electronic device according to Claim 13, wherein if the detected warning status is not released in spite of transmitting the warning information to the unregistered device, the communication unit is adapted to transmit the warning information to a predetermined device in an external network.

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18. (Currently Amended) A method for providing warning information by an electronic device, comprising the steps of:

the electronic device detecting whether a warning status has occurred; and

the electronic device notifying to a user that the warning status has occurred;

wherein, if the detected warning status is not released within a predetermined time, ~~transmitting~~ the electronic device transmits warning information indicating that the warning status has occurred to a registered device that is has been registered by the user in the electronic device as a device that is to receive the warning information; and

wherein, if the detected warning status is not released in spite of transmitting the warning information to the registered device, ~~transmitting~~ the electronic device transmits the warning information to an unregistered device that is has not been

registered by the user in the electronic device as a device that is to receive the warning information.

19. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 18, wherein the unregistered device is connected to a network including the registered device.

20. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 18, wherein the warning information comprises at least one of image data, text data and audio data.

21. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 18, wherein each of the electronic device, the registered device, and the unregistered device is connected to a home network.

22. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 18, further comprising a step of, if the warning status is not released in spite of transmitting the warning information to the unregistered device, transmitting the warning information to a predetermined device in an external network.
